## THE RED CIRCLE

By ALBERT PAYSON TERHUNE.

Author of "The Fighter," "Caleb Conover," "Syria From the Saddle," Etc. Novelized from the Pathe Photo Play of the Same Name by Will M. Ritchey. (Copyright, 1915, by Albert Payson Terhune,

(Synopsis of Previous Installments.)

\*\*Eax Lamar, crime specialist, is informed of the release of "Circle" Jim Borden, a notorious criminal. The name "Circle" comes from the hereditary "red circle" which appears on the right hand in each generation of the Bordens.

June Travis and her mother, interested in the reform of ex-convicts, are awaiting Borden's release. Borden refuses their aid. Borden's son Ted, a good-for-nothing, is about to steal a man's watch, when his father pulls him away. Pursued by a large crowd, Lamar among them. Borden and his son reach his rooms. Old Borden seals the room in which the boy is asleep and turns on the carry of the color and we'll have her carry the color of the state of this panel. The thief knows by now that there's a rear door—even if she didn't know it beforehand. If I let go of this coat—Miss Travis, will you do the coat corner for me while I go of this coat—Miss Travis, will you the time to accommend to investigate? Please!"

"Why, yes." quaveringly assented Lama's own grip. "I'il do not be travis, will you the taking hold of the cloth, along-side Lama's own grip. "I'il do not be the promise of this panel. The thief knows by now that there's a rear door—even if she didn't know it beforehand. If I let go of this coat—Miss Travis, will you the time there's a rear door—even if she didn't know it beforehand. If I let go of this coat—Miss Travis, will you the taking hold of the cloth, along-side Lama's own grip. "I'il do not be the promise of the promise of the coat corner for me while I go of this coat—Miss Travis, will you the she will be a promise the coat corner for me while I go of this coat—Miss Travis, will you the she will be promise the coat corner for me while I go of this coat—Miss Travis, will you the she didn't know it beforehand. If I let go of this coat—Miss Travis, will you the she didn't know it beforehand. If I let go of this coat—Miss Travis, will you the she didn't know it beforehand. If I let go of this coat—Miss Travis, will you the she didn't know it b June Travis and her mother, interested in the reform of ex-convicts, are awaiting Borden's release. Borden refuses their aid. Borden's son Ted, a good-for-nothing, is about to steal a man's watch, when his father pulls him away. Pursued by a large crowd, Lamar among them. Borden and his son reach his rooms. Old Borden seals the room in which the boy is asleep and turns on the gas. Borden kills himself.

Thinking that the ctrie-banded family is extinct, Lamar is surprised to see the Red Circle on the hand of a woman in a swiftly moving automobile. He overtakes the car, but occapant has sone. The woman slinks into a nearby burk and turns her cost inside out, exposing a dress and hat of white.

The woman in black is no other than June Travis. To Mary, her old nurse, June confesses what she has done and the old servant is overcome. The girl's atatement about the red circle causes the nurse to give an exclapation that arouses June's curiosity and she insists that Mary tell her all she knows.

Mary's complete story informs June that she is not Mrs. Travis' daughter, but the daughter of Jim Borden. Mary having changed the infants when the Travis haby died, Lamar calls on June and she jokes with him about the Red Circle.

## FOURTH INSTALLMENT . In Strange Attire.

AX LAMAR, gripping with both hands the corner of the black coat that protruded from the coat that protruded from the locked garage door, drove his and with the coming of the Teutonicshoulders full against the door panel. Bulgarian invaders he was able to esagain and again. But the wood held

"It seems to be a deadlock." laughed June, forcing her merriment with a mighty effort. "You have hold of her mighty effort. "You have hold of her coat; so she can't get away. The door won't open; so you can't get in. Isn't it just a little ridiculous, Mr. Lamar? Suppose we give up the chase and—?" "Give up the chase?" he echoed, angrily, "Give it up? Why, it's barely begun. Just on the other side of the garage door is the velled woman who robbed Grant and then gave me the slip and who holds the entire mystery of the Red Circle. Give it up? Not if I have to stand here till doomsdav!"
"But surely—" began June, trem-"But surely—" began June, trem-bling inwardly at his fierce determina-

"Miss Travis," broke in Lamar, "will you help me? I can't let go nere, Will you hurry around to the front door of the house this garage belongs to, and explain matters." Then ask leave for me to break the door down. I can to it if you'll hold the coat corner for Shap't I hold it now?" suggested

June; an idea flashing into her fear-sick mind. "I'll hold the coat while you try to smash the lock. You can't do anything without the use of your hands. Why waste the time I'd need "I don't like to batter down people's property," he answered, "even in the name of the law-without asking their

"Besides," he added, "this Veiled Woman is strong. Whenever she tugs at her coat, it is all I can do to hold my corner of it. She might wrench mer of it. She might wrench of your hands" agreed June, under her "that's exactly what I mean

self, she left the imprisoned coat to fall to the greasy floor of the garage -Max Lamar still gripping its cor-ner, on the door's far side, with futile

The garage was small, staffy, ill lit by a single grimed window pane. The place recked of gasolene, of oil, of grease rags. A big car tilled more than half of it. Across the greasy floor through the gloom. Mary groped her way: now slipping in a gasolene puddle; now caroming against the soiled mudguard of the machine.

She found the opposite wall, and felt along its all-but-unseen surface. At the farthest corner, her numbed ingers touched what they sought—the lintel of a door.

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the lintel of a door.
It was the garage's little back door, giving on the alley, behind the grounds. For one suicidal moment, she thought this back door was locked. But it was only stuck from long disuse. She threw her whole fragile weight against the dirt-crusted portal. A shower of dust and spiders' webs cascaded ed portal. A shower of dust and spiders' webs cascaded down upon her head. But the door quivered at

the impact.
She heard voices—one of them Lamar's. And again she cast herself
against the door. This time it flew wide:
with a whining of hinges and a clatter
of failing debris; and the rush of heronset drove her half way across the alley outside.

heels, scuttling down the alley and around the first corner with the awkward haste of a frightened hen. She had much ado, too, to keep from squawking like one, in the reaction from

Max Lamar clung deggedly to the coat orner that protruded from the garage's front door. He heard muffled noises from within. But they were so faint and the door was so thick, that he could not classify them. Nor, indeed, had he time to. For, presently, June reappeared around the corner of the big house. With her were health and the content of the big house. With her were a hatless and rather an noved-looking woman in a morning sown and a highly interested butler.

"I'm still holding on Miss Travis," La-mar hailed June: for the first time aware of the somewhat ridiculous figure must be cutting. And he continued, addressing the other

"Madam, I am very sorry to disturb you like this. But we have chased a thief into your garage, as Miss Travis has probably explained to you. I have hold of this corner of the fugitive's coat.

as you see. Will you let me break the lock of your garage door and get in? Of course. I'll pay -

"If I may suggest," said the woman in frigid policiness. "It might be better to go into ine garage by the back door. I come breaking my locks. Had that press Company, "Crime specialist" hastily corrected to me. "Iron it hadn't occurred to me."." Then, "no, it hadn't occurred to me."." The mean of the me. The mean of the me." The mean of the me. The mean of the me. the l'm not familiar with garages of this type. Practically none of them have back doors. So I — "We had one cut in," said the non-

"If you'll come around to the has it is garage with me."

A. quickly agreed Lamas. "Yes,

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of the woman of the

ouse. As he disappeared, June pressed

(Continued Tomorrow.)

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Escape in Serbia.

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who died yesterday in the eighty-fourth year of his age, will be held at his late residence, 603 Q street northwest.

tomorrow at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in Arlington Cemetery. Mr. Ritter has been engaged in the fluctuand feed business with his sons for

many years, and only retired from active business in June of last year. He is survived by two sons. Carl D. of this city, and J. H. Ritter, who is connected

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British Red Cross unit at several places in Serbia, was in town today, having arrived on the liner Canopic from Ge-

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"Yes," agreed June, under her reath, "that's exactly what I mean er to do."

But she forebore to say it aloud. Icr, Maj. William W. Reno, First Lieut. Charles M. O'Connor, jr., is appointed to her water day and night; furnished compete jaw, she meekly turned away oward the house.

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Mary, on the inner side of the garage door, had listened, panting, to the brief dialogue. As she heard June's light step receding on the driveway gravel, she threw all her strength into one last wrench at the recalcitrant coat.

The cloth was stout and Max Lamars grasp unshakable. But the tug caused two of the coat's upper buttons to fig haif way across the garage of the garment. That gave the captive woman her inspiration.

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rado avenue; the widening of Spring road

between Thirteenth street and Cedar road;

herein and upon the tenants and occupants of the same, as may be found by the said marshal, or his deputies, within the District of Columbia before the said 14th day of January, A. D. 1918. By the Court, F. L. SIDDONS, Justice. (Seal.) A true copy. Test: J. R. TOUNG, Clerk, By F. E. CUN. NINGHAM, Assistant (Terk.

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Vital Records

Births.

Winston H. and Artie Wilkinson, boy.
George P. and Annie Walsh, giri.
Christina H. and Kathleen Wienecke, boy.
Eugene J. and Margaret W. Sutton, girl.
Bernard and Margaret W. Sutton, girl.
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Benjamin and Annie E. Redmiles, boy.
Odorian W. and Garce M. Rhoby, girl.
Benjamin and Annie E. Redmiles, boy.
Thomas H. and Rose M. Rhodes, girl.
Joseph R. and Lilian B. Lare, girl.
Francis A. and Marie E. Leer, girl.
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Carl and Mattie Hoffman, boy.
Phillipp and Tessie Cohan, girl.
George W. and Mary Y. West, boy.
Wilbert H. and Beatrice Smith, girl.
James and Lucy Prue, boy.
Clarace and Annie Lucas, boy.
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Glarace and Annie Lucas, boy.
George F. and Erfle T. Tucker, boy.
Walter and Flora Nelison, boy.
Maurice J. and Ellen A. Leahy, boy.
John Y. and Alma M. Long, boy.
William E. and Anna B. Leishear, boy.
Theodore and Katherine Himmelberg, girl.
John A. and Helen Donnelly, girl.
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John A. and Elsie E. Bell, boy.
William W. and Margaret C. Burrell, girl.
Arthur and Rachael Mason, girl.
Harry and Katherine Jones, girl.
Charles and Midred James, boy.
Stanley and Annie Crosby, girl. between Thirteenth street and Cedar road; the opening of Kansas avenue, between spring road and Thirteenth street; the widening of Quincy street, between Thirteenth street and Cedar road; the opening and widening of Randolph street, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets, and the opening of Upahur street through parcel \$4.5, in the District of Columbia.—District Court, No. 1249.—Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the District of Columbia (pursuant to a certain provision of the act of Congress, approved March 4, 1912, entitled, "An Act making appropriations for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia, for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and fourteen, and for other purposes," whereby they are au-

"An Act making appropriations for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia, for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and fourteen, and for other purposes," whereby they are authorized to open, extend or widen any street, avenue, road, or highway to conform with the plan of the permanent system of highways in that portion of the District of Columbia outside of the cities of Washington and Georgetown adopted under the Act of Congress approved March 2, 1822, as amended by the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1838, by condemnation under the provisions of subchapter one of chapter fifteen of the Code of Law of the District of Columbia, have filed a petition in this court praying the condemnation of the land necessary for the opening of Thirteenth street, between Spring road and Colorado avenue; the widening of Spring road, between Thirteenth street the widening of Quincy street, between Thirteenth arrost; the widening of Randolph street, between Thirteenth arrost; the widening of Randolph street, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets, and the opening of Upsitur street through parcel \$4.5, in the District of Columbia, as shown on a plat or man filed with the said petition, as part thereof, and praying also that a jury of five judicious, experienced, distinterested men, who shall be freeholders within the District of Columbia, not related to any person interested in these proceedings, and not in the service or employment of the District of Columbia, or of the United States, be summoned by the United States, as aforesaid, in the District of Columbia to assess the damages and widening of the said streets, and the condemnation of the land neces prefer to the lith day of January. A. D. 1918, at the oclock st. m., and continue in attendance until the Court shall have made its first all persons having any interest in these proceedings which the jury to be empanied and sworm herein; and the Court shall have made its first and order be served by the United States marshal, or his deput Annie M. Colliflower, 55 years, 411 Second Annie M. Colliflower, 28 years, 411 Second street southeast, Henry S. Brinkerhoff, 71 years, 1820 Q street northwest. Emma E. Galleher, 63 years, 1829 Perry place northwest. Jesse M. Hiatt, 77 years, 1823 Harvard street northwest, outse C. Waldmann, 73 years, 1114 Seventh street southwest.
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